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Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☐ No.
 If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1 and 2.


Identification of prior art discussed: Berra et al. (2004/0215319 A1) and Brown et al. (2002/0007212 A1).

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☒ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Examiner agrees with Applicant's argument that one would be required to reconstruct the stent of Brown in order to meet the limitations of claim 2, thus the finality of the previous office action would be withdrawn. However, a new FINAL office action would be issued based on the Berra et al. reference.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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